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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

AKANE MASUMOTO, et al.

Application No.: 10/583,126

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For: FIELD EFFECT TRANSISTOR
AND METHOD OF
PRODUCING SAME

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Group Art Unit: 2812

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November 29, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents, other than the U.S. document, are enclosed.

Japan 2004-6750, Japan 2003-304014, and U.S. Publication No. 2003/0226996 were cited in the International Search Report and Written Opinion which issued in the corresponding international application. In addition, Japan 2004-6750 and Japan 2003-304014 are discussed at page 4 of the specification. A copy of the International Search Report and a copy of the Written Opinion are enclosed.

English-language abstracts for Japanese documents are also enclosed.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the issuance of a first Office Action on the merits. Therefore, no fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2) is believed due. Nevertheless, the Commissioner may charge Deposit Account No. 06-1205, should any fee be due for filing this paper.

Applicants request that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be initialed and returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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